



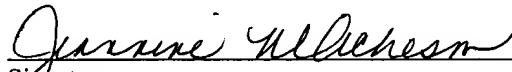
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For: MICROREACTOR
Examiner: David A. Redding
Art Unit: 1744

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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action and Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary mailed February 25, 2004, from the U.S. Patent Office, the undersigned notes that a Request for Continued Examination was filed by the undersigned on February 12, 2004 to compel entry of Applicants' Response to Final Office Action mailed January 6, 2004 (noted by the PTO as filed January 8, 2004), along with an IDS.

Regarding the Interview Summary, the examiner notes that during a conversation between the examiner and the undersigned on February 11, 2004, various claims were discussed, along with "suggested language to include structure into the claims."

The undersigned has no recollection or record of such a discussion taking place during the interview. The undersigned's notes from that conversation suggest that the undersigned noted to the examiner that an IDS had been filed, and that an RCE would be required for the IDS to be entered, and that the undersigned planned to file an RCE. The undersigned has no record or recollection of any other subject matter being discussed during the telephone interview of February 11, 2004.

If, in the Interview Summary, the examiner is stating that he suggested structural language to be inserted into the claims, then if this is the case it is noted that the undersigned does not view any need for any additional structure in any of the claims and no structural limitations have been added to the claims.

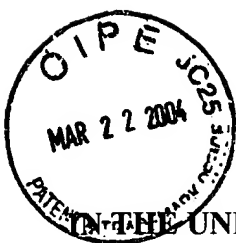
A petition for a two month extension of time is filed herewith, bringing the after-final response period to March 6, 2004 which is a date after the filing of the RCE.

Respectfully submitted,

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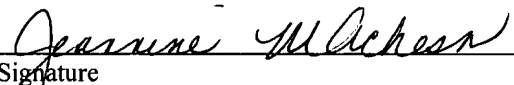
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:


- ☒ Letter to the Examiner
- ☒ Petition for Two Month Extension of Time
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$210.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for the Petition for Extension of Time. If this fee is insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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